## MORE THAN TWO-THIRDS OF THE 700 ARE INSTRUCTED

Chicago Convention Are Pledged for Roosevelt.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, April 30 .- Only thirty days remain before the opening of the Rebeen chosen. Of the nearly 700 delegates alpeir preference for Mr. Roosevelt's nomtaken by any of the conventions regarding the vice presidential nomination, and the indications are that this question

More than three hundred delegates have been chosen to the Democratic national Judge Parker, of New York, continues to has; yet there has been a falling off in the Parker sentiment among the politicians here the past week, and, while he clearly has the best of the situation, it is still re- | Charles F. Murphy. garded as anybody's fight but Hearst's. Mr. Hearst has about fifty instructed dele-

the Vandaila Railroad to recover money alleged to be due the school fund was before the United States Supreme Court tothe railroad company is the appellant here. The oral argument goes into the merits of the case. Lawrence Maxwell, of Cincinnati, nade the opening argument for the railroad to-day. John G. Williams, of Indianapolis, appears with him. The State is represented William A. Ketcham, of Indianapolis, d Robert S. Taylor, of Fort Wayne. The argument will probably be completed Mon-

James W. Tunis was to-day appointed postmaster at Bruce Lake, Fulton county, vice Henry C. Adams, resigned.

William E. Runyan has been appointed regular carrier and Howard E. Runyan substitute in the rural free delivery service at Waynetown.

PARTY OF GERMANS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Mrs. Roosevelt Entertains Distinguished Foreigners Who Are on Western Tour.

WASHINGTON, April 30. President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at luncheon today a distinguished party of Germans, who are making a tour of the United States. The men of the party were presented to the President to-day by Ambassador Sternberg. They remained with him in his office at the executive building only a brief time. In the luncheon party were Prince Philip Hohenlohe-Schillingsfuerst, a son of the former chancellor of the German empire; Erb-prince Von Ratibor, Prince Karl Von Ratibor, Princess Elizabeth Von Hohen-Count Rumerskirch, of Austria; Mrs. Borguis, Miss Borguis and Mr. and Mrs. Frank
B. Wiborg. Invited to meet the distinguished visitors were Ambassador Sternberg, secretary and Mrs. Hay, Senator and Mrs. Lodge, Gen. Crozier, Gen. S. B. M. Young, Whitelaw Reid and Mrs. Cowles.

PROF. BELL FLIES HIS KITES IN LIGHT WIND

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- Prof. Alexan der Graham Bell to-day gave, at Columbi Station, a Virginia suburb of Washington an exhibition of the Tetrahedral kite, which he believes to be the secret of aerial nav gation. The demonstration was made t the members of the National Geographica Society, of which Professor Bell was for merly president. The wind was light an therefore the trials were not as successful as some which have been made in private, concerning which much has been written by the inventor and other scientists. Three sixteen-cell kites, each said to have a sustaining power of seventy-five pounds, were sent to heights varying from 400 to 1,100 feet, but the wind was so uncertain that the tests were not regarded as satisfactory.

CHANGES ON THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- The Southern Railway has abolished the office of assistant to the general manager and of assistant passenger agent at the general headquarters. The former office was made vacant by the death of Captain William H. Green and the duties of the place have been assumed by Assistant General Manager Dugan. Assistant General Passenger Agent Breoks Morgan, who has been promoted, to have headquarters at Atlanta, with the same title, but as the ranking assistant in the passenger department, will spend much of his time in Washington, virtually discharging his duties at both posts.

GOOD SHOOTING WITH NEW ARMY RIFLE

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- The chief of ordnance of the army has received a chart of a target showing shots fired by an ordnance sergeant on April 18, at the experimental rifle range at Fort Clark, Tex., with the United States magazine rifle. Ten shors were fired at a distance of 800 yards and all struck the target within a space of fifteen inches horizontally by seven inches vertical measurement. The greatest distance from a line horizontal through the bull's-eye at which a shot struck was 3.5

NEGRO OFFICER CHOSEN FOR POST IN HAITI

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- It has been decided to send a military attache to Haiti and Santo Domingo and for this duty Capt. Charles Young, Ninth Cavalry, has been selected. That officer has been on duty at the Presidio at San Francisco. He is a negro, a graduate of the Military Academy and possess a fine record. His ability and fitness for the place led to his designation.

MAIL TRAIN RUNS 247 MILES IN 237 MINUTES

LONDON, April 30 .- A train on the Great Western Railway this evening eclipsed all records for the conveyance of American mail between Plymouth and London, covering the distance of 247 miles in 237 minutes. The last 118 miles of the run was made in ninety-nine minutes.

Healy Held at Chicago. CHICAGO, April 30 .- A writ of habeas corpus secured at the last moment prevented the extradition of Captain John J. Healy, mine promoter and Alaskan explorer, from Chicago to New York to-day. In custody of a New York detective, Captain Healy was about to be taken to a train bound for New York, when Captain Healy's attorney produced a writ of habeas corpus issued by Judge Smith, returnable Wednesday morning. In the face of this the detective surrendered his prisoner

## MURPHY NOT A MEMBER OF NEW YORK COMMITTEE

Would Not Serve with Senator McCarren.

RACE WINTHROP AN ELECTOR BOOKS ARE CONDEMNED

day Corn Meyer, of Queen's Borough, New publican national convention in Chicago. York city, was elected chalrman to succeed More than two-thirds of the delegates have | Frank Campbell and State Senator P. H. been selected, and before the end of next | McCarren, of Brooklyn, was made chair- France and is regarded as one of the ablest week practically all the delegates will have man of the executive committee. Edgerton scientists and theologians in the French L. Winthrop, of New York, was chosen presidential elector in place of Robert B. structed for the nomination of President | Roosevelt, who declined to serve owing to Roosevelt and the remainder are unin- the fact that President Roosevelt, the pos- ganda at Rome. In his criticism of the gosstructed, but most of them have declared sible Republican nominee for President, is pels he follows the German theological

Prior to the meeting of the committee it was reported that while the Tammany men | death would not object to the selection of Mr. will be allowed to remain open until the they did very urgently object to Senator Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, would be placed on the executive committee, but Thomas F. Smith, of New York, who held Mr. Murphy's proxy, said he did not believe Mr. Murphy would consent to serve upon a committee headed by Mr. McCarren. Former Mayor Hugh J. Grant, of New York city, and former Lieutenant Governor W. F. Sheehan, of Buffalo, were among those elected to the executive com-mittee, Mr. Grant being selected instead of

#### DEATH AT LAST CLAIMS WOMAN OF GREAT AGE

Years Old, Passes Away at Son's Residence.

cupies apartments in the Meridian flats. At the time of her death she was ninety-six | Shaffer woman is employed in the Elliott

for eighty-seven years and was the widow of Rev. William C. Smith, a pioneer In-

diate family left, W. H. Smith, a prominent journalist and historian, who recentwrote a history of Indiana; Charles ly wrote a history of Indiana; Charles W. Smith, of Peru, and John S. Smith, who is also a resident of this city. Arrangements for the funeral had en perfected last night.

#### REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS, MORTGAGES AND PERMITS

Daily Record for Indianapolis Is Shown for the Past Week.

The following figures show the daily record of real-estate transfers, real-estate mortgages and building permits during the -Transfers.-

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Total ..... \$79,577.00 SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

Thirty-Two Transfers Made a Matter of Record Yesterday.

Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twentyour hours ending at 4 p. m. April 30, 1904: Emma L. Stanley et ux, to John W. Davidson et ux., Lot 100, John C. Shoemaker's sub, Blks 3 and 4, Parker et al.'s Oak Hill 2d add..... Porter, Lot 41, Bickel's sub, Hanway & Hanna's Oak Hill add ...

Logsdon, Lot 35, Downey's Arsenal Heights add Milton S. Myers et ux. to Estella A. Bowser, Lot 50, Joseph W. Beck's sub, Rhodes's North Illinois-st. add...... Milton S. Myers et ux. to Allen A. Bowser, Lots 60, 61 and 62, Drake & Mayhew's 2d add ..... Charles E. Kregelo et ux. to Caroline Fink, Lot 591. Elder & Potts's Armstrong Park add ..... Charles C. Pierce, jr., et ux. to Henry J. Milligan, Lot 81, Thomas A. Morris's 2d add

John N. Hobbs et ux. to Frederick
Sproesser et ux., Lot 107, J. H. Clark's
2d add, West Indianapolis
Ralph W. Bauman to Ernest C. Morris, pt of Lot 77, James A. and Margaret Bruce's add Charles W. Sedwick et ux. to Byron Daugherty et ux., Lot 32, Clark's 3d add. West Indianapolis ux., Lot 146, Culver et al.'s sub, Frank T. Brown, trustee, to Donnie Jackson, Lot 4, Sq 13, Hendricks's sub, Drake's add James Jackson et ux. to Frank T. Brown, trustee, Lot 4, Sq 13, Hen-dricks's sub, Drake's add ...... Margaret Manion, guardian, to John Shea, und 84-855 of Lot 11 and pt of Lot 10, Coe's sub of Outlot 12, city of Margaret Manion to John Shea, und 51-

135 of Lot 11 and pt of Lot 10, Coe's sub of Outlot 12, city of Indianapolis... Louisa R. Black to Thomas B. Lewis, pt of the n e 14. Sec 14. Tp 14. R 2.... Charles H. Richards et ux. to Emma M. McKibben, Lot 53, Milligan's Brook Park add Robert P. Grubb et al. to Sallie P. Grubb, Lot 9 and pt of Lot 10, Abram Bird's sub of Outlot 178, city of In-William E. Kurtz et ux. to John A. ing et ux., Lots 271 and 272, Bradley et al's East Washington-st. add...... Jesse J. Privett to Ulysses G. Michener. Lot 8. Schrolucke's Madison-av. add... Edward C. Dunmeyer et ux. to Esther Franklin, Lots 28 and 29, Cross, trus-

Franklin, Lot 200, Charles M. Cross, trustee's, Clifford-av. add Caroline Schilling et al. to Chris H. Schilling, pt of the s e 14. Sec 7, Tp 14. R 5 John N. Hobbs et ux. to Emily H. Knapp. Lot 1, John N. Hobbs's East Tenta-st, sub, Hubbard's sub......... 

Elizabeth Meyers et al. to Charles O. Stelhorn et ux., Lot 514, Stout's Indiana-av. add John Shields et ux. to Grace I. Shockley, pt of Lot 135, Armstrong's Key-Jennie Sutton to George W. Harden, Lot 3, Clifford Place add ..... Ephraim Michael et ux. to

## CASE OF THE ABBE LOISY CAUSES A STIR IN PARIS

Most of the Delegates Chosen to Friends Say Tammany Leader Theologian's Criticism of the Gospel May Involve Disciplinary Measures.

of the Democratic state committee here to- Loisy is causing an agitation similar to advanced ground, resulting in their condemnation by the College of the Propacritics in maintaining that the gospel of St. John was not written by the apostle John, but was written years after the apostle's

the condemnation of his works is exciting discussion in literary circles. This has been intensified by the action of the abbe relative to the condemnation of his works. His letter to the cardinal secretary of state acknowledges the receipt of the notice of his condemnation, but adds that he is unable to change his conscientious belfef relative to facts of history. The abbe has also given out a public letter in which he refers to the papal secretary of state as "the young Cardinal Merry Del Val." While declaring that he will remain a Catholic, the abbe declares he

### ELLIOTT HOUSEHOLD IS TERRORIZED BY A WOMAN

Outside of the literary question, the abbe's vigorous attitude may involve disciplinary

Mrs. Phoebe K. Smith, Ninety-Six | Maggie Shaffer, Colored, Became Obstreperous and the Police Were Called.

Maggie Shaner, a Well-known Police residents of the State, died last night at | Court character, is charged with a brutal the home of her son. W. H. Smith, who oc- assault upon Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, 5164 Massachusetts avenue, last night. The home, having been there since her release Mrs. Smith, while born a New Yorker, from the workhouse a few weeks ago. Last had been a constant resident of Indiana night, it is alleged, that after becoming partially drunk, she returned to the Elliott home and began to tear up the furniture and make a terrific noise. Mrs. Elliott is an invalid and was not able to defend her-There are three children of the imme- | self from the attacks of the woman, who was beating her over the head with a corset box when Bikemen Askins and Duncan arrived. Mr. Elliott is also an invalid and was considerably excited over the violence exhibited by the Shaffer woman. The bikemen had no trouble in arresting her, although she showed fight and cursed them.

## WILL ASK AGAIN FOR \$740,000 FOR BRIDGES

County Commissioners Repeat Their Demand-Council Will Meet May 10.

The County Council will be called together | on May 10 for the purpose of considering an appropriation for five bridges, four to be built across White river and one across Fall creek at Delaware street. At the time of this meeting an appropriation for repairing damage done throughout the county during the recent floods will also be con-Commissioner Spafford is quoted as saying that the commissioners will ask the

Council for approximately the same appro-

priation that was voted down at the last

session, \$740,000. the construction of the proposed bridges, the commissioners say they will be governed by the nature of the bids received, but it is their desire to have a bond issue for a sum large enough for the construction of stone Councilman Rockwood, who was at first in favor of stone bridges, says he will vote for concrete ones, if necessary to get them. Three other members of the Council, Johnson, Pierson and Pfender, say they will not consent to vote a larger appropriation

CITY NEWS NOTES.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Trafmen, No. 297, will give a card party and dance at Fountain Square Friday evening, May 6. The Woman's auxiliary of St. David's Church will meet Tuesday, May 3, with Mrs. William L. Baker 1906 North Meridian

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church will hold their regular meeting next Wednesday afternoon, May 4, at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors.

The board of managers of the Girls' Industrial School will meet to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Henry C. Thornton, 1605 North Delaware street. The Foreign Missionary Society of the Broadway M. E. Church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. U. M. La Follette, 2113 North Alabama street, at 2:30 The Ladies' Aid Society of the Broadway

M. E. Church will hold an alf-day meeting Wednesday. A luncheon will be served at noon and a business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock. 'The Ladies' Aid Society of the First English Lutheran Church will be entertained Wednesday by Mrs. R. E. Kennington and Mrs. Spiegel at Mrs. Kennington's home,

2320 College avenue. The Indianapolis Ministers' Association will meet in the lecture room of the Meridian-street Church to-morrow, at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. D. R. Lucas will read a paper on "Involution the Miracle, Evolution the Natural.

The ladies of the Indianapolis Flower Mission have begun their annual distribution of boxes of flowers, and over 3,000 of these will be taken to the homes of the sick poor and to the various hospitals of Rev. Robert Zaring, of the Irvington M.

E. Church, has gone to the General Conference of the Methodist Church, in Los Angeles, Cal. His pulpit will be occupied to-day, morning and evening, by the Rev. An illustrated health lecture will be given at the Broadway M. E. Church next Friday

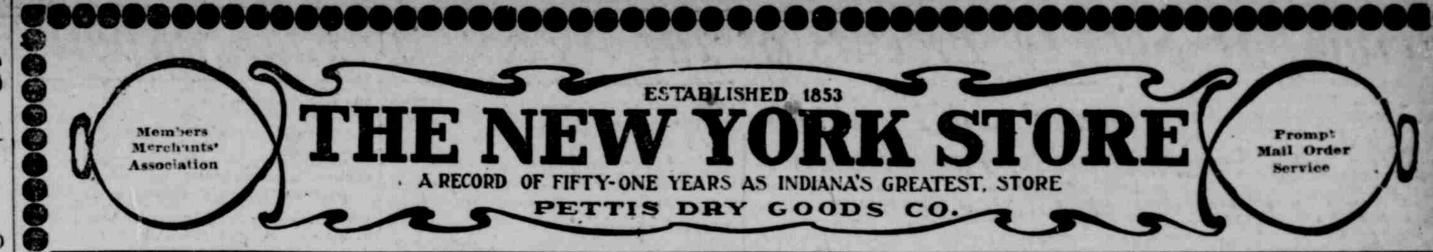
afternoon, May 6, at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. May Rose Bertihoff. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church. Mrs. Dr. Newland, of Westfield, Ind., who has recently returned from Mexico, where

she was a missionary of the Friends' Church, will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Old Mexico" at the First Friends' Church this evening. Mrs. Newland will speak on the life of Mexicans and missionary work in that country. The Magazine Club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the Bertha Bal-

lard Home. A club magazine composed of original articles, contributed by the members, was given under the editorship of Mrs. A. J. Clark, Mrs. A. L. Lane and Mrs. A. L. Lewis. Mrs. Jessie Patterson Roth rendered two solos, and the programme closed with a duet by Mrs. Herbert Adkinson and Miss Fannie Courtney. A social hour with needlework followed. The committee composed of Mrs. D. W. Tibbs, Mrs. A. J. Clark, Mrs. A. L. Lewis, Mrs. Vanton O. Foulk and Mrs. A. L. Lane surprised the club with a two-course luncheon.

Hack Driver in Custody.

William Smith, 433 East Washington livery barn, is charged with the embezzlement of a sum of money belonging to his former employer. It is alleged that on last Monday he took a party of men out in his hack, collected the money, drove the hack back to the barn, and left without turning over the money. The arrest was made Transfers, 32; total consideration ...... \$59,131.39 Detectives Haley and Lancaster.



# Special Reductions in High Grade Spring Suits



One of the most remarkable sales of the season will be here Monday, all our high class suits go under the price reducing influence. This sale includes the entire stock of spring suits formerly priced upward of \$30.00 remaining from this season.

All stylishly designed and made of finest materials. 'All reduced to prices never before made on this class of goods.

Best Silks, Etamines, Voiles, Broadcloths, Cheviots, Linens and mixtures.

No odd lots but our regular selling lines of high class Spring Suits. The prices reduced as follows---

For \$65 and \$75 Suits

For \$50 Suits

For \$30 to \$40 Suits

This sale will certainly be the greatest of its kind ever known because the values are here to make it so. All sizes and colors to choose from. Everything arranged for convenient and easy selection. -Second Floor.

#### Popular Weaves in Colored Dress Fabrics

Cream Mohairs and Sicilians, very popular this season for shirtwaist suits, are shown at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 a yard in complete as-

English Tartan Mohair Checks, a new arrival, 44 inches wide, in combinations of green and blue-\$1.25 a favorite spring material, at.. Silk and wool Crepella, in old rose, reseda, green, tan, light gray and heliotrope, worth \$1.75, to close at, \$1.00 All-wool French Voiles, 46 inches wide, in twelve shades, suitable for wear, \$1.25 value, a yard.....\$1.00 afternoon and evening 100 pieces Danish Cloths, in all 15c Fancy Mohairs, a new showing in brown, blue, green and black grounds, with small pin dots in red and 50c Mohair Suitings, in mixed woven colors, very desirable for shirtwaist suits, a yard..... 46-inch German Mohair Mistrals, in cream. Choice of plain or fancy weaves. A late delivery of \$1.25 and \$1.50 qualities, to close at, 

#### Mohair Brilliantines and Sicilians in Black

These fabrics are perhaps the best general utility materials you could buy. Very rich for tailormade gowns, attractive for traveling costumes. Easy to keep clean. for a shake removes all dust. We show an unusually large assortment of black weaves, ranging in price from 25c to \$2 00 a yard, enabling you to buy almost at your own

	Black Mohair Brilliantines, 36 250 inches wide, a yard
	Black Mohair Sicillian, 38 390 inches wide, a yard
	Black Mohair Brilliantine, 44 inches wide, and Mohair Sicilian, 50 inches wide, a yard
ľ	44-inch Mohair Brilliantine 750
	42-inch Silky Sicilian 850
	44-inch Silky Brilliantine 81.00
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	56-inch Heavy Sicilian \$1 50
	54-inch Cravenette Sicilian . \$1.75 Priestley's Silk-warp
	Mohair

# Summer Dress Fabrics

Gaze Bourette, the most popular do-mestic fabric of the season. Fifty new pieces just received—the line in-cluding every color—a yard......15c Imperial Bourette, in fifteen colors; in white and colored grounds with bayadere effects of contrasting 20c color, a yard ..... with dainty figures, dots and

Quilaine Suitings, the newest cotton voile for shirtwaists and shirtwaist suits; comes in solid color cross- 20c barred with white, a yard..... Printed Madras, in white grounds stripes, in all colors, a yard.......15c Fifty pieces Bates Seersuckers, in every desirable style and color, made and plain colors, a yard..... 12½c Twenty pieces Irish Linen Batiste, 32 inches wide, in the natural color, to be worn over colored drop skirt-a very desirable and splendid valuea yard . ..... Cotton Canvas Cloth, 27 inches wide; a firmly woven cloth that will not sag; just the thing for shirtwaist suits.

Choice of black, tan, navy, brown, cadet and reseda, with two or threetoned color combinations. Point de Bruxelles, 28 inches wide, one of the season's new sheer mercerized fabrics in white grounds with artistic floral designs-very desirable for evening graduation wear, 39c Austrian Silk, 30 inches wide, in the natural pongee color, in the right weight for summer coats or shirtwaist suits, a yard ..... Yard-wide Irish Linen, in fifty new spring shades, and a big assortment of

for shirtwaist suits, a St. Gall Embroidered Swisses, 44 inches wide, our own importation of sheer and dressy designs and stripes on tinted grounds. New styles and fast colors for handsome grounds,

light and navy blues. Very desirable

\$1.00, \$1.50 French Embroidered Voile Robes, in white grounds, with light blue, pink, red, reseda, black and navy embroidered figures combined with illuminated stripes. Patterns shown exclusively by us, \$10.50, \$12.50 -West Aisle.

#### Spring Millinery Showing Is Enhanced by the Showing of Spring Weather



The sunshine of the last few days brought millinery buyers galore. They were more than surprised at the extent, beauty and scope of the showing here.

All the newest innovations in Spring and Summer millinery are here-every style an individual one, many of them being creations of our own skilled milliners and copies of imported models. And, above all, the prices are fair to you.

At \$5 00. A stylish Suit Hat, made of champagne and blue and white mixed straw braid, effectively trimmed with a pair of blue wings and green velvet ribbon.

At \$6.00. A large Sailor shape, made of Cuban straw in the natural color, a band of brown velvet is set on the brim, studded with straw cabochons; caught at both sides, at the back, are brown velvet ribbon loops.

At \$8.50. Is a Colonial shape of fine tuscan braid. The facing is of white chiffon, with a band of tuscan straw insertion set on red velvet folds, trimmed at the back with bunches of red cowslips and red velvet ribbon.

At \$8 50. A Large French Sailor of white straw. Encircling the large oval crown are rows of pleated ribbon; perched on the side of the crown are two white bird heads.

At \$9.00. An exquisite white Turban, is made of a soft braid, rather small, fitting close to the back, edged with rows of yellow and white cowslips; the same flower is used as a back trimming; white maline and brown velvet ribbon is draped around the crown.

At \$8.00. Is a Pompadour shape of tuscan straw, caught at the side with green velvet ribbon bow, at the back are bunches of green cowslips to match.

#### Ready-to-Wear Hats

We carry the largest and most complete assortment of Ready-to-Wear Hats ever shown, at all prices-\$1.45. \$1.95, \$2.25, \$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.45 and \$4.45.

-Second Floor.

# Old Hickory Porch Furniture

Made by the Old Hickory Chair Company, of Martinsville, Ind. Sold exclusively by us in Indianapolis and used by those who think the best the most economical in the long run.

Won't be long until most of your time will be spent on your porch.

Therefore you want your porch to be the most sightly and as comfortable as you can make it. The best results are obtained in the use of the Old Hickory furniture.

for it's a combination of beauty and comfort-rustic in appearance, which gives a cool, inviting effect. Statesmen of long ago were partial to this kind of furniture-no

old-time hotel or mansion was complete without a dozen or so old hickory chairs on its lawn, verandas or spacious libraries—used now from Maine to California because the pieces are so comfortable.

We have Old Hickory Chairs, Settees, Rockers, Tables, Stools, etc., in every style, and would be glad to show you our line. Wouldn't it he a good plan to make your selections now, so as to have your porch furniture

# Silk Shirtwaist Suit Materials

The American Silk Journal, the leading silk buyer's magazine had this to say in a recent issue:

"There is no question but what the Silk Shirtwaist Suit will be one of the leading models, and it can be well said that the range in these gowns is almost unlimited. A great deal of money can be spent on a costume of this sort, and again a woman can present a very pretty appearance in a shirtwaist gown of home manufacture. The favorite materials for this dress will be fancy silks, neat checks, hair-line stripes, dots and geometrical designs, which are even now to be had in great profusion in blacks, navies, browns, dark greens and dahlia shades, with the designs brought out in white. Neatness marks the patterns, an attribute which always appeals to the American woman, who, differing from her European sister, has learned the lesson that to be conspicuous is not to be well

As expected from this great store, we are showing the choicest and most varied assortment of the favorite materials mentioned above ever shown in the State. You may buy the handsomest summer colorings at, 

#### Our New "Smart Set" Corsets.



Made especially for us by the American manufacturers who come nearest to duplicating the graceful lines of the best French corsets. In shapeliness, fit

believe, few rivals. It represents up-todesigning, and has several novel features which place it in a class

alone. For example: A system of gores at top and bottom which can be adjusted so that the corset can be made to suit any figure without spoiling its correct lines and curves. The "Smart Set" fits to the form as naturally as the petal to the rose. This novel method of adjustable goring and the curved seams makes the waist look smaller, they add long lines to the figure and give a flattening effect over the abdomen, which makes the "Smart Set" admirably adapted to the new spring fash-An improved adjustment of double elastic garters hold the corset down to the correct position and support the stocking. There are two models to the "Smart Set" one of medium length for slender figures, the other extends well down over the hips, making it especialy adapted for stout women. Both

have medium-low bust. The "Smart Set" Corsets are made of fine imported white coutil tastefully trimmed with lace and embroidered ribbon, they are boned with soft, flexible whalebone—the real bone—making them fit with kidlike ease and grace to the natural curves of the body. Price \$7.50

-Second Floor.

#### Lorraine Cooking Ware

Most chifs are particular what kind of cooking ware they use; some prefer granite, others pottery. Those in the East prefer the Lorraine ware, a pottery that is made in France, perfectly plain on the outside, but very highly glazed on the inside, which enables the heat to penetrate faster and more evenly. You can cook in these dishes and bring them right on the table, keeping the viands hot. To more thoroughly introduce this ware we offer the following special prices for

Monday: Deep Pudding Pans, with side handles, 1-quart size ......180 4-quart size ..... Covered Pudding Dishes. 1-pint 1-quart size ..... Handled and Covered Casserotes, 1-2-quart size ..... 3-pint Handled Stew Pans. 

# Houseneeds are Very

Savings are big Monday in the great basement of housefurnishings. Celebrated Royal Gasoline Stoves, famed all over the city as the best \$3 and \$4 gasoline stoves made. Choice of the two and three-burner styles, Monday. \$2.25, \$3.25 Heavy Wire Coat Hang- 2 for 5c Extra high grade Washboards, worth 20c, for ..... New stock Flower and Vegetable Seeds, 5c packages now. Nickel-plated Tea Bells, regular price 50c, bargain Steel Rakes and Hoes, in 15c this sale, each ..... Hard maple Chopping Bowels, 19c size, special Pint Cups, made of heavy tin, Fine hardwood enameled handle Potato Mashers, now Hardwood Towel Rollers. worth 10c, for ... Surprise Egg Beaters, worth 3c. six for ..... Sure catch Rat Traps, worth 15c, Monday ...... Monarch Furniture Polish, for fine surfaces, 25c value ... 14 and 17-quart Bread Raisers, with ventilated covers and heavy 40c, 50c 

Pettis Dry Goods Co.